

## DAY OF ENJOYMENT AT PARK BY MERCHANTS AND GUESTS

Ideal Weather for Annual Picnic and Outing of Charleroi Business Men

### SPORTS WERE A FEATURE

Merchants' Race Was Possibly Most Interesting—Won by Stech.

A fair crowd attended the merchants picnic at Eldora park yesterday, and from evidences all had a good time. From early morning until late at night the people remained, loth to leave the popular resort. The day was ideal for such an affair, and while the sun roasted and broiled persons in exposed places, the people at the park were calm and content under the shade of the trees. The merchants had everything arranged well, and the program of the day passed off in good shape.

The sports of the afternoon were an interesting feature, and drew many to the racing ground. Perhaps the most interesting race was that of the merchants for the championship of the association. In this Joe W. Stech of the firm of Stech and Wertz, was the winner, and for his strenuous efforts received a handsome silver medal, donated by John B. Schaffer. G. T. Barger was second, but did not receive any prize. He complained that some one interfered with him or he would have won.

The results of the other events are as follows:

Girls race, girls 12 years or under—Johanna Kubina, 1st; Myrtle Wilson, 2nd. Prizes 50 and 25 cents.

Boys 100 yard dash—Henry Lowstutter, 1st; Roland Greenwald, 2nd. Prizes \$1.00 and 50 cents.

Race for girls under 10 years—Myrtle Wilson, 1st; Norma Bossan, 2nd. Prizes 50, and 25 cents.

Three-legged race—Henry Lowstutter and Aubrey Clorhue, 1st team; Roland Greenwald and John Lutes, 2nd team. Prizes \$1.00 and 50 cents.

Merchants handicap—Joe W. Stech, 1st; Tom Barger, 2nd. Prize, Silver medal.

Shoe Shuffle—Harry Stone, 1st; Eddie Lowstutter, 2nd. Prize, 50 cents.

Married ladies race—Mrs. Davis, 1st; Mrs. Stiglitz, 2nd. Prizes \$1.00 and 50 cents.

Ball throwing contest for ladies—Miss Patterson, winner. Prize 50 cents.

Shotput—Dr. Edwin McKay, 1st; J. W. Cornell, 2nd. Prizes \$1.00 and 50 cents.

In the ball throwing contest for ladies, there was an extra contest, in which Miss Culbertson won.

During the day the park amusements were well patronized, the dancing pavilion proving the center of attraction. It was crowded to the limit during the evening.

### Feehan a Candidate

The Allegheny county delegates to the State convention will hold a meeting, probably tomorrow, to discuss candidates. It is probable that Francis Feehan, district president of the United Mine Workers, will be a candidate for State Senator in the Forty-fifth or South Side district, against James L. Adams the Republican candidate.

Dawson's fire sale of millinery and notions commencing Friday, July 30, 403 McKean avenue, Charleroi, 29613.

## Will Likely Die From Broken Back

John Tehula Taken to the West Penn Hospital Today at Noon.

John Tehula, a Bohemian about 35 years of age of Charleroi, was taken to the West Penn Hospital today at noon, suffering from a broken back. The injury was sustained by a fall of slate in the Charleroi Coal mines on Tuesday.

## MILKMEN GIVE REASONS FOR THEIR ACTION

Claim High Price of Feed Was Responsible for High Price of Milk.

### ORDINANCE IS NOT JUST

To the Mail: In reply to an article in Monday's issue stating that the milkmen threatened to raise the price of milk to 10 cents on account of an ordinance passed, I wish to say that this is a mistake. I am a retailer, and a member of the Milkmen's association, and there has never been one word said at any meeting in regard to raising the price of milk. The milkmen are being imposed upon, and our association is to protect ourselves and for the welfare of our customers. As to the sanitary conditions the State has sent an inspector to each and every dairy farm, great and small, and inspected stables, springhouses, cans, water supply, and all utensils used in the dairy, finding them in a sanitary condition. He made no complaint. The milkmen of Charleroi are willing to comply with the State law at any and all times, but not with other impossibilities. As was stated it was customary to reduce milk to 6 cents in summer. The price of feed and other advancements is the cause of milk being 8 cents. Four and one-half years ago we bought our bran for \$16 per ton, and last winter it raised as high as \$32.50 per ton. Other feed is in proportion. Rents have raised and cows have advanced from \$40 to \$60 and \$70.

Why did your grocer raise the price of flour and other groceries? Because they cost him more and he was compelled to do so. That is why milk is selling at 8 cents, barely enough to keep the sheriff from our door. Go to our feed dealer, Mountsier and Co., and ask to see his books, and see how many of the milkmen he carried over winter, and some are not square yet. The milkmen work 17 to 18 hours a day and 365 days every year, Sunday included. Place yourself in the milkmen's shoes and then ask the question, did we do anything unfair or unjust? Kind reader, under the above conditions did we not deserve 8 cents for our milk instead of 6 cents as in former years?

We are not trying to rob the people. Our association is for the

## SAYS NO ONE COULD ARREST HIM, BUT FAILS TO PROVE IT

Mike Dessing Resists and Fights When Chief Albright Tries to Run Him in for Disorderly Conduct.

Mike Dessing, a well known character of Speers borough, was taken to jail this afternoon from Charleroi to await hearing on a charge of resisting an officer, and assault. The hearing was before Justice of the Peace Rice this morning, information having been made by Chief of Police C. W. Albright. The trouble was over Frank Nutting, an 8 year old boy who was placed under the care of the juvenile court yesterday. The boy had been living at the home of Dessing his stepfather, which, it is alleged, is not a fit place for him, and the juvenile court committee took him in charge.

The trouble happened in front of the restaurant of William McPeck yesterday at about noon. Justice of the Peace Wilson, who had charge of the case of the Nutting boy, was eating in the restaurant, when Dessing happened in. He saw Wilson and at once began to abuse and curse him, threatening, it is stated, dire things for the part the justice took in sending the boy away. The justice had Mr. McPeck telephone for the police and Chief Albright responded. When he arrived Dessing was on the sidewalk swearing and cursing, it is stated. The chief went into the restaurant where he learned the cause of the trouble. He then went outside and told Dessing to consider himself under arrest. Dessing then stated that no one in Charleroi could lick him, and no one could take him to the lockup. Albright reached for him and Dessing attempted to deliver a blow. Then the chief grabbed the throat of the resister, and in a moment, the two were having it nip and tuck. Finally both went down, and for a short time Dessing was on top, but he was pulled off by Justice Wilson. Chief Albright used his mace and quickly landed the man in the lockup.

Dessing wanted to plead guilty and be sentenced this morning, but Justice Rice informed him that in a case of the kind, where an officer was involved, he had no power. The bail, which could not be furnished, was placed at \$300. Dessing has previous to this time, so it is stated, caused considerable trouble. Some things are related of the conduct at his place that should be investigated.

## AGED MAN LIVING PRACTICALLY ALONE IN NEED OF FUNDS

Has no One to Care for Him in His Sickness—Poor Committee at Work.

In one of the houses in what is known as "Shovel Row" Second street, is a case of unusual suffering and need. An old man of Polish extraction, a Mr. Svitala, is almost dead. He is living with his son-in-law, who has five children to support, and who must be absent much of the day earning a living. The old man is in such a condition that only a strong man can properly care for him. He is too weak to be removed to the hospital, and probably has but a short time to live. The poor committee has not sufficient funds to assist the family and no other charity has taken up the matter.

What is needed is immediate help, sufficient to support the family so the son-in-law can be free to care for the invalid.

Subscriptions will be received by the Charleroi Mail for this purpose and forwarded to the family. Already one dollar has been paid in, and if relief is to be given this case it must be done quickly.

## MAY BE NECESSARY TO AMPUTATE LEG

Frank Kelly Badly Injured While at Work in Charleroi Coal Mines.

Frank Kelly, a well known young man of Allentown, was seriously injured at the Charleroi Coal mines yesterday by a fall of slate. His left leg was badly crushed between the ankle and knee, and it is likely that it will have to be amputated near the knee.

The injuries of Kelly were dressed by Dr. J. K. Smith, and he was sent to the Mercy Hospital, Pittsburgh. He is popular in Charleroi and along the valley.

The Famous Passion Play Oberammergau at the Star Theatre tonight for last time. 29611

welfare of the people and for our brother who likewise earned his bread by the sweat of his brow. We organized to protect ourselves, and the innocent ones whose little mouths in many cases would go hungry. E. R. Sphar, President. Floyd Bonnell, Sec. and Treas. Milkmen's Association of Fallowfield township.

## STRANGER ATTACKS THREE WOMEN ON LONELY ROAD

Trip From Cleveland Entirely by Trolley

Possibilities of Travel by Electric Car Shown by Monongahela Man.

The possibilities of trolley travel was well illustrated by Carl E. Yohe of Monongahela who came home from Cleveland by means of the electric cars, on his return from a vacation spent in Michigan points. Mr. Yohe left Cleveland on Sunday by trolley and came to Akron, thence to Canton, from there to Salem, to Youngstown, where the night was spent. Thence to New Castle and into Pittsburg by the Harmony route. From Pittsburg to Monongahela by the Charleroi car, arriving at Monongahela before 12 o'clock Monday night.

Had Mr. Yohe so desired he could have come home from Detroit by means of the trolley, as electric lines are in operation between Cleveland and the Michigan point.

## MIRACULOUS IS ESCAPE OF LITTLE GIRL

Ella Zipay Almost Meets Death Beneath Wheels of Train.

### WAS ROUNDING UP A COW

Ella Zipar, the 12-year-old daughter of Andrew Zipar of McKean avenue, had a very narrow escape from being killed by a train yesterday. As it was she sustained serious injuries which were dressed by Dr. J. K. Smith.

The girl was trying to round up a cow that belongs to the family. It had strayed on the railroad near the Charleroi Coal company tippie, and was in danger of being killed by a freight train, such as are constantly shifting near that place.

Just as she was getting the bovine started towards safe territory an engine and some cars came along. The cow ran in front of the engine and the girl after it. The animal was struck and thrown, the body striking the girl and knocking her under the wheels of another train, which however was not moving. From the fall she suffered a number of bruises. The cow was killed.

The engineer of the train stated that it was the most narrow and wonderful escape that he had ever witnessed.

### Buys Brownsville Paper

A. L. Cochran, formerly of Pittsburgh, has purchased the Clipper-Monitor of Brownsville, and taken charge as editor and manager. Mr. Cochran has for several years been connected with the Associated Press of Pittsburgh. He is preparing for improvements in the paper and may shortly issue a daily. He will move his family there soon.

The great religious drama given at the Star Theatre tonight. The children should see it. 29611

Seized Bucket of Berries One Was Carrying—Struck Another.

### THREATENS TO SHOOT

Frightened Away When Gail at Whom He Points Gun Faints.

To be stopped while returning from a berry-picking tour in the country by a drunken man, and attacked was the experience of Mrs. August Bijou and daughter Miss Julia, and Mrs. Dordian, all of Charleroi, yesterday. None of the women suffer much from the experience they had with the robber, owing possibly more than anything else to his fright and subsequent sudden departure when Miss Bijou fainted.

The party, with a few quarts of berries, was returning through a field, having gone through it for a short cut, and had neared the road when they were approached by a strange man, who accosted them, and charged them with picking berries on his farm. He represented the farm on which they were as his own, and said they were trespassing illegally, although there were no notices posted forbidding trespass. Finally after some words he took the berries and the bucket from Mrs. Dordian, and then, angry at the opposition to his action, struck Mrs. Bijou a few times. Then the daughter, Miss Julie, took up the fight, calling the man a coward, and telling him that she should be doing something better than striking women and abusing them.

The stranger then pulled a gun from his pocket and made as if to shoot the girl, pointing the weapon at her, and uttering threats, whereupon Miss Bijou fainted. The man immediately took flight, not forgetting, however, to take the berries with him. The women notified some farmers nearby. They described their assailant, but found that he was unknown. It is thought that the person was some drunken tramp who took this means of getting some berries to satisfy his own palate. It is possible that information will be entered later.

### Yenny

Frederick Charles Yenny, ten-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Yenny of 903 Crest avenue, died this morning at 2 o'clock. The funeral was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment was in the Charleroi cemetery.

### Bingville Quintet Next Week

The Bingville Quintet, which was to have appeared at the Star the last three days of this week, will not be on until the first of next week. This action was taken on account of the "Passion Play" being run tonight.

### Capt. Gibson Honored

Capt. James B. Gibson of Monongahela has been appointed an aid on the staff of General Miles for the National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, which will be held in Salt Lake City next month.

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## SATISFACTORY TARIFF SYSTEM

Senator Penrose Makes Prediction Concerning Final Outcome of Special Session

### PENROSE ALWAYS ON GUARD

Close of Arduous Session Will See Senior Senator Off in Search of Recreation in Western Wilds—Tariff Teachings That Should Not Be Lost Sight of.

Advices from Washington are to the effect that Senator Dole Penrose predicts that the new tariff law when finally framed, adopted by both branches of Congress and signed by the President, will provide the most satisfactory tariff system ever established in this country. Senator Penrose is in a position to know what he is talking about. As a member of the Senate Finance committee and a conferee, he has been able to prevent the adoption of severe reductions in the iron and steel, chemical and other schedules with which Pennsylvania's tremendous industrial interests are concerned. That his great work in this direction is appreciated, is amply shown by the strong statements of commendation that have been received by him from members of the Pennsylvania delegation in Congress and from representatives of labor and capital in the Keystone State.

Owing to the complexity of Pennsylvania's industries the revision of the tariff schedules brought an immense volume of work to members of the Pennsylvania delegation. As Senator Penrose recently remarked, there is hardly a page of the Payne bill that does not contain a rate in which this Commonwealth is directly interested. The Pennsylvania Congressmen have been in receipt of thousands of letters, briefs and other communications on both sides of the tariff question. The duties of Senator Penrose were peculiarly exacting. As a member of the Finance committee the appeals for assistance that reached him came not only from Pennsylvania but from the representatives of every industry in the United States.

In a large room adjoining Senator Penrose's office are long rows of cases which contain, classified and indexed, the communications he received relative to the revision of the tariff rates. The mails brought him valuable compilations of facts relative to the industrial interests of this State. Mr. Penrose received the tariff argument of every manufacturer in the Keystone State with a detailed statement of the duty desired. Letters from Pennsylvania farmers urging him to vote for the retention of the Dingley duty of 15 per cent ad valorem on hides were filed with the printed briefs of the tanners and shoe and leather manufacturers presenting arguments in support of their demand for free hides. Every scrap of paper bearing upon the tariff bill was filed. The arguments thus presented were briefed and submitted to the Finance committee and in some instances to the Senate, in which body consideration of the measure required the almost constant attendance of Senators Penrose and Oliver as hardly a day passed during the time the bill was being discussed in the Upper House that a schedule affecting a Pennsylvania industry was not taken up.

As the situation now presents itself, petroleum, hides and iron ore are likely to be found on the free list, while coal will be protected by a duty of 40 cents a ton and lumber by \$1.25 per thousand. This figure being a quarter lower than the rate fixed by the Senate and a quarter higher than the House rate.

At the dinner given by President Taft to the Republican members of the Conference committee and some of his Cabinet advisers, Chairman Seneca E. Payne, of the Ways and Means committee, advanced the claim that Pennsylvania's interests were being too well protected, but Senator Penrose showed the President conclusively that the State was not being given a tithe more protection than was needed to preserve its industries. For a time at that dinner this State's industries became the pivot of all the discussion and the defense put up by Senator Penrose and Representative John Dalzell was a warm one. The result appears to be that Pennsylvania came out practically unscathed.

Despite the vital interest of Pennsylvania in tariff legislation Senator Penrose is the only senator from the Keystone State within this generation who has served as a member of a Conference committee in charge of a tariff bill. When the McKinley bill was enacted this Commonwealth was represented in the Senate by J. Donald Cameron and Matthew Stanley Quay, neither of whom was a member of the Finance committee, and who, therefore, were not in line for appointment as conferees. Quay and Penrose were the Pennsylvania senators at the time of the passage of the Dingley bill and both had other committee appointments. Owing to his familiarity with tariff legislation and the industrial conditions in this State, Senator Penrose during his second term was appointed a member of the Finance committee and now ranks third as a member of that body, only

Chairman Aldrich and Senator Dole, of Michigan, preceding him. His selection as a conferee was due to his effective work in the preparation of the bill and to forcible advocacy of its provisions upon the floor of the Senate.

Senator Penrose upon the adjournment of Congress will go to Philadelphia for a few days before starting for Montana. He will be accompanied by his brother, Dr. Charles Penrose, and they will spend probably six weeks in the Lewis and Clark forest reserve and the Flatbush river country in Northern Montana. They will go after bear, deer and other big game, and fish for trout. Senator Penrose declares that despite the intense heat prevailing in Washington this season and the strain of the special session of Congress, he is in excellent health. All that he required, he added, was a vacation in the mountains to make him feel as good as ever. Senator Oliver will go to his summer home in Cobourg, Canada, upon the adjournment of Congress and he expects to remain there until late in September.

The Altoona Gazette quite wisely remarks that in these days when almost every publication one picks up contains a fling at the protective tariff, either at the principle or at the measure Congress has been laboring over, it is well for us to recall and remember a few things we all know: No intelligent person will contend that Americans can pay the prevailing rate of labor now paid in this country and manufacture goods if the tariff is lowered a point where cheap foreign products can be unloaded here. The tariff was wisely created fifty years ago or more to build up the greatest manufacturing fabric in the world. The advantages offered by that policy have brought millions of foreigners here because wages and conditions were vastly better. The tariff alone made them so. Would foreigners come here if conditions were no better than they are in Europe?

Continuing, the Gazette says: "No manufacturer of goods in this country could live and pay the high wages he pays if there was no barrier against the foreign manufacturer paying one-third or one-half the rate of wages paid in this country and shipping his product here. He could undersell the home manufacturer, drive him out of the business or force him to reduce the wages of his help to the condition of the cheap labor he would have to compete with. These facts are so plain that a school boy can understand them."

"And here is where the western senators who profess to represent the farmers have made their mistake. Ninety odd per cent of all that the farmer produces is bought and consumed in this country. The free entry of European and tropical goods made with cheap labor would force home manufacturers to cut wages 50 per cent, reduce the ability of the wage earners to buy farm products and what would be the effect on the price and consumption of what the farmer has to sell? It does not require the expert knowledge or understanding of a United States senator to figure this out. The policy that has built up the greatest manufacturing industry in the world, that pays the highest wages, that has made the American wage worker and the farmer the most prosperous in all the world, is a good policy to the end."

### ANCIENT GUNS.

Remarkable Weapons That Were Used by the Turks and Chinese.

At the siege of Rhodes the Turks constructed mortars by hollowing out cavities in the solid rock at the proper angle, and in the arsenal at Malta is a trophy of the long and glorious defense of Valletta in a Turkish gun, about a six pounder, composed of a copper tube coiled over with strong rope and "jacked" with rawhide. In the same collection are some antique "quick frers," breechloaders, with small bores and immensely long barrels, like punt guns. The Malay pirates put great trust in the long brass swivel guns called "Jela," and in Borneo these Jelas were used as a kind of currency, large sums being estimated in guns.

The Chinese cast excellent bronze guns (there is a fine specimen of them in Devonport dockyard), but so little did they understand gunnery that in the so called "opium war" the forts of the Bocca Tigris, defending the Canton river, had the guns built immovably into the walls. The Sikh gunners opposed to England in the two Punjab wars, though they loaded with amazing recklessness, shoveling in the powder from open boxes, stuck to their guns to the last. The blood of the first man killed was smeared on the gun, and the whole detachment died beside it sooner than retreat.—Chambers' Journal.

### The Amazon River.

Although not the largest or longest river, the Amazon is the most wonderful river in the world, with a mouth 150 miles in width and with a force of water that repels or at least overflows the ocean to a distance of more than fifty leagues. Yet in spite of the weight of the river the tide makes its influence felt for 500 miles from the coast. The easterly trade winds blow almost invariably upward, so as to be ready to help the vessel against the adverse currents.

### In Disguise.

"Do you mean to say that you flirted with your wife all the evening at the masked ball and didn't know her?" "That's right. But she was so deuced agreeable how was I to know her?"—Exchange.

## WOES OF THE PURSER

He Has Troubles of His Own on the Trip Across the Atlantic.

MUST HAVE A GOOD TEMPER.

His Time Wasted by Foolish Questions and Trivial Appeals, Mainly by Women Passengers. Yet He Has to Be Always Polite and Agreeable.

"Yes," said the purser on one of the big liners recently to the writer, who happened to be taking a trip from Liverpool to New York, "we have our own troubles, I can assure you, and I sometimes envy the captain his solitary enjoyment of the bridge, even during a sixty mile gale. Passengers seem to think that the purser is put on a ship simply to answer foolish questions."

"Of course there is a good deal which we have to put up with as being part of our legitimate duties, though when a passenger brings us a hundred dollar yellow back and asks to have it changed into English, French, German and Spanish money and stipulates that there must be twice as much French as German and half the remainder in English silver coins, presumably for tips, is it any wonder that we occasionally lose our tempers?"

"And then, again, the purser is always appealed to for the most trivial things. A woman passenger comes to the window, and if it is closed she will bang on it till it is opened, no matter if the sign is there as large as life that the office hours are from 11 to 2 and 4 to 6 o'clock and she is honoring me with a call at 3 p. m. Then, when the window is raised for fear she will smash it to smithereens, she says, with a sweet smile: 'Oh, Mr. Purser, I am so sorry to disturb you. I know it is not your hour of business, but could you tell me if we will really land next Thursday, as I told my brother we would, and I know he will be waiting for me on the dock.'"

"Of course I am polite, but I have some difficulty in persuading her that I am not running the ship, and neither can I control the elements. She goes away with an expression that clearly shows she thinks I am keeping something back and it will be my fault if we do not arrive at the time appointed."

"I remember on one trip when the weather was particularly stormy a woman passenger knocked at my door—after office hours, of course—and begged that she might speak to me for a few minutes. I politely asked her to enter, and then, her eyes starting out of her head with the excitement of suppressed emotion, she implored me to draw up her will. I protested that I was not a lawyer, but do you think she would be satisfied with that excuse? Not much! There and then I had to draw up a document in the best legal phraseology I could muster."

"When I was flustered and I and my assistant had signed it she gave the young fellow a sovereign for his trouble, and as for me—well, she took off a very handsome ring and insisted on my accepting it. I have that ring yet, but what became of the donor I never knew, for when the storm abated and we were safe in port she never so much as bade me goodbye, though I had repeatedly asked her to take back her ring. She was a very rich woman evidently, and the 'bequests' in that will I drew up made my eyes bulge."

"Most passengers when we have been a day or so out bring the purser all their valuables, for which they receive a receipt. Some nervous women seem to think that a 'strong room' at sea is not a very secure place for their jewels, and they insist on seeing their treasures at least every day. One woman passenger made my life a burden during a recent voyage by taking her valuables out and putting them in again three times a day until I told her that the next time she called for them I would not take them back again, whereat she told me, with a sour look, that I was impertinent and she would inform the captain. I believe she did so, but the captain gave her a word or two of advice regarding the implicit trust which should be placed in a purser, and this quieted her. In fact, she afterward came to me and apologized for her seeming rudeness."

"As a rule, I conduct church service on board, as the captain does not enjoy the work, but prefers to remain on the bridge. Many a funeral service also has fallen to my lot, and I have even officiated at a christening. I am usually the one to whom a passenger dies when he is dissatisfied with his cabin, though the duty of changing a stateroom really rests with the head steward. Then, again, it is the purser who is appealed to when the passengers elect to hold a concert, and the young folks usually rush to him also when they want to have a dance on deck. A purser can be very popular or the reverse, and unless you have an excellent temper you stand a good chance of being the reverse."

"The funniest experience I had was on a recent trip, when there was on board a little girl about twelve years old. She struck up a warm friendship with me and would walk the deck for miles if I would only accompany her. She fell very ill during a storm and refused to be comforted. Her mother asked her if there was anything she could do which would ease her suffering, and the young imp said there was. If she would only 'skidoo' and let the purser read a book to her she would feel better. And the indulgent mother came to me, stated the case, and—well, I complied with her request and read to the child for a little while each day until she was well enough to come on deck again."—London Tit-Bits.

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Pork Shoulder.....	2 lbs 25c
Veal Roast.....	From 2 lbs for 25c to 15c
Veal Chops.....	15c lb
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Advertise in the Mail

### Charlert Firm Makes Purchase

The \$5,000 stock of Mrs. Kent of Donora which was sold by the court, and for which the Charlert Savings and Trust and company was appointed assignee, has been purchased by the Bazaar, 431 McKean avenue, and the stock is to be sold at slaughter prices. Mr. Krakover, proprietor of the bazaar is determined to make a clean sweep as the regular stock carried by him is so large that he needs the room. In Friday's paper will be a descriptive of the bargains that one may be able to secure by attending this sale. 2961f

The Monongahela Railroad company, having lines extending from Brownsville on the east side of the Monongahela river, several miles south, has been made defendant in a damage suit for \$200,000 in the Fayette county courts.

The plaintiff is James B. Thompson, of Luzerne township, who claims that the right of way for which he was awarded damages to the amount of \$1,300 was worth more. The suit is the largest ever brought in Fayette county.

## Classified Ads

### WANTED

WANTED—Middle-aged woman to do home cooking. Capitol Lunch Room, Donora. 2851f

Wanted—Carpet Weaver, give full particulars or call care 88 of Mail office. 2901f

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LOST—Ten one dollar bills between postoffice and Berryman's store. Finder please bring same to Berryman's and will be rewarded.

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2931f

## LOCAL NOTES

### Brief Mention of People and Events in this Community.

Rev. T. A. Conners has been assigned assistant to Rev. Father W. D. Fries, pastor of St. Jerome's church. Rev. Conners arrived this week to take up his duties here.

Della Jolliffe left today for Atlantic City to spend several days.

William Eneix was a visitor this morning in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Edmund Brown left yesterday for Chautauqua, where she will spend some weeks.

Frank Arrison and sister, Miss Emily Arrison, have returned from Atlantic City where they spent several days.

Miss Mary Fries and sister of Kittanning, are visitors in Charlert with friends.

Mrs. W. H. Calvert and daughter, Jean left this morning for Atlantic City for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Weltner and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. G. Weltner have returned from Atlantic City, where they spent two weeks.

The Monessen General Hospital at Lockview is being equipped with screen doors and windows. It is stated that the improvement will cost about \$200 when completed.

Leo. Schwaed and son are transacting business in Hartstown.

Mrs. J. Mountcourt and son Martin are in Pittsburgh today.

A. F. Sievertson and orchestra played at the Coyle Theatre Monday evening. The music was of a good selection and pleased the audience and company.

Miss Ruth Sassara of Pittsburgh is visiting at the home of Mrs. Ruth Sievertson of Washington avenue.

### Picture Thursday

The "Passion Play" will be shown by picture at the Star Theatre on Thursday, it having been secured for this additional evening by the management.

### Funeral of Henry Smith

The funeral of Henry Smith, who died on Tuesday at Cleveland, Ohio, was held this morning at the A. M. E. church. Interment was at Howes cemetery.

## DON'T FORGET

About the Big

## \$1.00 SHOE SALE At ADOLPH'S



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## DAY OF ENJOYMENT AT PARK BY MERCHANTS AND GUESTS

Ideal Weather for Annual  
Picnic and Outing of Char-  
leroi Business Men

### SPORTS WERE A FEATURE

Merchants' Race Was Possibly  
Most Interesting—Won  
by Stech.

A fair crowd attended the merchants picnic at Eldora park yesterday, and from evidences all had a good time. From early morning until late at night the people remained, both to leave the popular resort. The day was ideal for such an affair, and while the sun roasted and broiled persons in exposed places, the people at the park were calm and content under the shade of the trees. The merchants had everything arranged well, and the program of the day passed off in good shape.

The sports of the afternoon were an interesting feature, and drew many to the racing ground. Perhaps the most interesting race was that of the merchants for the championship of the association. In this Joe W. Stech of the firm of Stech and Wertz, was the winner, and for his strenuous efforts received a handsome silver medal, donated by John B. Schaffer. G. T. Barger was second, but did not receive any prize. He complained that some one interfered with him or he would have won.

The results of the other events are as follows:

Girls race, girls 14 years or under—Johanna Kubina, 1st; Myrtle Wilson, 2nd. Prizes 50 and 25 cents.

Boys 100 yard dash—Henry Lowstetter, 1st; Roland Greenwald, 2nd. Prizes \$1.00 and 50 cents.

Race for girls under 10 years—Myrtle Wilson, 1st; Norma Bossan, 2nd. Prizes 50 and 25 cents.

Three-legged race—Henry Lowstetter and Aubrey Clertue, 1st team; Roland Greenwald and John Lutes, 2nd team. Prizes \$1.00 and 50 cents.

Merchants handicap—Joe W. Stech, 1st; Tom Barger, 2nd. Prize, Silver medal.

Shoe Shuffle—Harry Stone, 1st; Eddie Lowstetter, 2nd. Prize, 50 cents.

Married ladies race—Mrs. Davis, 1st; Mrs. Stiglitz, 2nd. Prizes \$1.00 and 50 cents.

Ball throwing contest for ladies—Miss Patterson, winner. Prize 50 cents.

Shotput—Dr. Edwin McKay, 1st; J. W. Cornell, 2nd. Prizes \$1.00 and 50 cents.

In the ball throwing contest for ladies, there was an extra contest, in which Miss Culbertson won.

During the day the park amusements were well patronized, the dancing pavilion proving the center of attraction. It was crowded to the limit during the evening.

### Feehan a Candidate

The Allegheny county delegates to the State convention will hold a meeting probably tomorrow to discuss candidates. It is probable that Francis Feehan, district president of the United Mine Workers, will be a candidate for State Senator in the Forty-fifth or South Side district, against James L. Adams the Republican candidate.

Dawson's fire sale of millinery and notions commencing Friday, July 30, 408 McKean avenue, Charleroi. 29513

## Will Likely Die From Broken Back

John Tehula Taken to the West  
Penn Hospital Today  
at Noon.

John Tehula, a Bohemian about 35 years of age of Charleroi, was taken to the West Penn Hospital today at noon, suffering from a broken back. The injury was sustained by a fall of slate in the Charleroi Coal mines on Tuesday.

## MILKMEN GIVE REASONS FOR THEIR ACTION

Claim High Price of Feed  
Was Responsible for High  
Price of Milk.

### ORDINANCE IS NOT JUST

To the Mail: In reply to an article in Monday's issue stating that the milkmen threatened to raise the price of milk to 10 cents on account of an ordinance passed, I wish to say that this is a mistake. I am a retailer, and a member of the Milkmen's association, and there has never been one word said at any meeting in regard to raising the price of milk. The milkmen are being imposed upon, and our association is to protect ourselves and for the welfare of our customers. As to the sanitary conditions the State has sent an inspector to each and every dairy farm, great and small, and inspected stables, springhouses, cans, water supply, and all utensils used in the dairy, finding them in a sanitary condition. He made no complaint. The milkmen of Charleroi are willing to comply with the State law at any and all times, but not with other impossibilities. As was stated it was customary to reduce milk to 6 cents in summer. The price of feed and other advancements is the cause of milk being 8 cents. Four and one-half years ago we bought our bran for \$18 per ton, and last winter it raised as high as \$32.50 per ton. Other feed is in proportion. Rents have raised and cows have advanced from \$40 to \$80 and \$70.

Why did your grocer raise the price of flour and other groceries? Because they cost him more and he was compelled to do so. That is why milk is selling at 8 cents, barely enough to keep the sheriff from our door. Go to our feed dealer, Mountier and Co., and ask to see his books, and see how many of the milkmen he carried over winter, and some are not square yet. The milkmen work 17 to 18 hours a day and 365 days every year, Sunday included. Place yourself in the milkmen's shoes and then ask the question, did we do anything unfair or unjust? Kind reader, under the above conditions did we not deserve 8 cents for our milk instead of 6 cents as in former years?

We are not trying to rob the people. Our association is for the

## SAYS NO ONE COULD ARREST HIM, BUT FAILS TO PROVE IT

Mike Dessing Resists and Fights When Chief Albright Tries to Run Him in for  
Disorderly Conduct.

Mike Dessing, a well known character of Speers borough, was taken to jail this afternoon from Charleroi to await hearing on a charge of resisting an officer, and assault. The hearing was before Justice of the Peace Rice this morning, information having been made by Chief of Police C. W. Albright. The trouble was over Frank Nutting, an 8 year old boy who was placed under the care of the juvenile court yesterday. The boy had been living at the home of Dessing his stepfather, which, it is alleged, is not a fit place for him, and the juvenile court committee took him in charge.

The trouble happened in front of the restaurant of William McPeck yesterday at about noon. Justice of the Peace Wilson, who had charge of the case of the Nutting boy, was eating in the restaurant, when Dessing happened in. He saw Wilson and at once began to abuse and curse him, threatening, it is stated, dire things for the part the justice took in sending the boy away. The justice had Mr. McPeck telephone for the police and Chief Albright responded. When he arrived Dessing was on the sidewalk swearing and cursing, it is stated. The chief went into the restaurant where he learned the cause of the trouble. He then went outside and told Dessing to consider himself under arrest. Dessing then stated that no one at Charleroi could lick him, and no one could take him to the lockup. Albright reached for him and Dessing attempted to deliver a blow. Then the chief grabbed the throat of the resister, and in a moment, the two were having it nip and tuck. Finally both went down, and for a short time Dessing was on top, but he was pulled off by Justice Wilson. Chief Albright used his mace and quickly landed the man in the lockup.

Dessing wanted to plead guilty and be sentenced this morning, but Justice Rice informed him that in a case of the kind, where an officer was involved, he had no power. The bail, which could not be furnished, was placed at \$300. Dessing has previous to this time, so it is stated, caused considerable trouble. Some things are related of the conduct at his place that should be investigated.

## AGED MAN LIVING PRACTICALLY ALONE IN NEED OF FUNDS

Has no One to Care for Him  
in His Sickness—Poor Com-  
mittee at Work.

In one of the houses in what is known as "Shovel Row" Second street, is a case of unusual suffering and need. An old man of Polish extraction, a Mr. Svitla, is almost dead. He is living with his son-in-law, who has five children to support, and who must be absent much of the day earning a living. The old man is in such a condition that only a strong man can properly care for him. He is too weak to be removed to the hospital, and probably has but a short time to live. The poor committee has not sufficient funds to assist the family and no other charity has taken up the matter.

What is needed is immediate help, sufficient to support the family so the son-in-law can be free to care for the invalid.

Subscriptions will be received by the Charleroi Mail for this purpose and forwarded to the family. Already one dollar has been paid in, and if relief is to be given this case it must be done quickly.

## MAY BE NECESSARY TO AMPUTATE LEG

Frank Kelly Badly Injured  
While at Work in Char-  
leroi Coal Mines.

Frank Kelly, a well known young man of Allenport, was seriously injured at the Charleroi Coal mines yesterday by a fall of slate. His left leg was badly crushed between the ankle and knee, and it is likely that it will have to be amputated near the knee.

The injuries of Kelly were dressed by Dr. J. K. Smith, and he was sent to the Mercy Hospital, Pittsburgh. He is popular in Charleroi and along the valley.

The Famous Passion Play Oberammergau at the Star Theatre tonight for last time. 29611

welfare of the people and for our brother who likewise earned his bread by the sweat of his brow. We organized to protect ourselves, and the innocent ones whose little mouths in many cases would go hungry.

E. R. Spahr, President.  
Floyd Bonnell, Sec. and Treas.  
Milkmen's Association of Fallowfield township.

## MASONS OF VALLEY HOLDING OUTING AT ELDORA TODAY

Own Park and Are Having  
a Good Time—Good  
Sized Crowd.

The Masons of the Monongahela valley are today enjoying an outing at Eldora Park, and a large crowd is present. There is no special program of entertainment, but all are spending the day in their own way.

All the park amusements are free to the fraternity, the only cost being for that of the admittance tickets issued by the Masonic orders, in the shape of invitations. A special car service was in operation during the day.

## NO NEED OF THE BOYS WORKING

Correspondent Says That  
Great Evil is Being Per-  
petrated Nowadays.

To the Charleroi Mail: In the issue of the Mail of the 27th inst., you report an instance of the great evil wrought by the present capitalistic system on the wealth-producers of the world. I refer to that which causes a mother to offer up her offspring on the altar of profit in the struggle for existence. Under such a system that which the lowly and gentle Nazarene said to the children has been changed to read: "Come unto our mills, mines and factories, ye little ones, and be ground into profits that we may be able to pay larger dividends to idle parasites, with labor conditions such that the employer can employ the child and let the father go idle." What else is there left for the mother and the child but to become bread winners?

Socialism will give employment to men that children may be given what every child needs to make of it a healthy, happy man or woman. The co-operative commonwealth will hold the life of the child above dividends, for the boys and girls of today are the mothers and fathers of tomorrow, and what kind of bodies and minds can be developed by the child slave that is so stunted in mind and body that when he is grown he is at the age of 21, they are unable to take on the great responsible burden of perpetuating a happy, bright and glorious people.

Jacob Schwartz,  
619 Fallowfield Ave.

Don't miss last chance to see the Passion Play Oberammergau at Star Theatre tonight. 29611

## STRANGER ATTACKS THREE WOMEN ON LONELY ROAD

Trip From Cleveland  
Entirely by Trolley

Possibilities of Travel by Electric  
Car Shown by Monongahela  
Holy Man.

The possibilities of trolley travel was well illustrated by Carl E. Yohe of Monongahela who came home from Cleveland by means of the electric cars, on his return from a vacation spent in Michigan points. Mr. Yohe left Cleveland on Sunday by trolley and came to Akron, thence to Canton, from there to Salem, to Youngstown, where the night was spent. Thence to New Castle and into Pittsburg by the Harmony route. From Pittsburg to Monongahela by the Charleroi car, arriving at Monongahela before 12 o'clock Monday night.

Had Mr. Yohe so desired he could have come home from Detroit by means of the trolley, as electric lines are in operation between Cleveland and the Michigan point.

## MIRACULOUS IS ESCAPE OF LITTLE GIRL

Ella Zipay Almost Meets  
Death Beneath Wheels  
of Train.

### WAS ROUNDING UP A COW

Ella Zipay, the 12-year-old daughter of Andrew Zipay of McKean avenue, had a very narrow escape from being killed by a train yesterday. As it was she sustained serious injuries which were dressed by Dr. J. K. Smith.

The girl was trying to round up a cow that belongs to the family. It had strayed on the railroad near the Charleroi Coal company tippie, and was in danger of being killed by a freight train, such as are constantly shifting near that place.

Just as she was getting the bovines started towards safe territory an engine and some cars came along. The cow ran in front of the engine and the girl after it. The animal was struck and thrown, the body striking the girl and knocking her under the wheels of another train, which however was not moving. From the fall she suffered a number of bruises. The cow was killed.

The engineer of the train stated that it was the most narrow and wonderful escape that he had ever witnessed.

### Buys Brownsville Paper

A. L. Cochran, formerly of Pittsburgh, has purchased the Clipper-Monitor of Brownsville, and taken charge as editor and manager. Mr. Cochran has for several years been connected with the Associated Press of Pittsburgh. He is preparing for improvements in the paper and may shortly issue a daily. He will move his family there soon.

The great religious drama given at the Star Theatre tonight. The children should see it. 29611

Seized Bucket of Berries Once  
Was Carrying—Struck  
Another.

### THREATENS TO SHOOT

Frightened Away When Gave  
at Whom He Points  
Gun Faints.

To be stopped while returning from a berry-picking tour in the country for a drunken man, and attacked was the experience of Mrs. August Bijou and daughter Miss Julia, and Mrs. Dordian, all of Charleroi, yesterday. None of the women suffer much from the experience they had with the stranger, owing possibly more than anything else to his fright and subsequent sudden departure when Miss Bijou fainted.

The party, with a few quarts of berries, was returning through a field, having gone through it for a short cut, and had neared the road when they were approached by a strange man, who accosted them, and charged them with picking berries on his farm. He represented the farm on which they were as his own, and said they were trespassing. Although there were no notices posted forbidding trespass. Finally after some words he took the berries and the bucket from Mrs. Dordian, and then, angry at the opposition to his action, struck Mrs. Bijou a few times. Then the daughter, Miss Julie, took up the fight, calling the man a coward, and telling him that he should be doing something better than striking women and abusing them.

The stranger then pulled a gun from his pocket and made as if to shoot the girl, pointing the weapon at her, and uttering threats, whereupon Miss Bijou fainted. The man immediately took flight, not forgetting, however, to take the berries with him.

The women notified some farmers nearby. They described their assailant, but found that he was unknown. It is thought that the person was some drunken tramp who took this means of getting some berries to satisfy his own palate. It is possible that information will be entered later.

### Yenny

Frederick Charles Yenny, the 9-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Yenny of 993 Crest avenue, died this morning at 2 o'clock. The funeral was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment was in the Charleroi cemetery.

### Bingville Quintet Next Week

The Bingville Quintet, which was to have appeared at the Star last three days of this week, will not be on until the first of next week. This action was taken on account of the "Passion Play" being run tonight.

### Capt. Gibson Honored

Capt. James B. Gibson of Monongahela has been appointed an adjutant of the staff of General Miles for the National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, which will be held in Salt Lake City next month.

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## July 29 in American History.

**1783**—Thomas Corwin, American statesman, born in Bourbon county, Ky.; died 1845.  
**1862**—The Confederate cruiser Alabama shipped out of the river Mersey under pretext of making a trial trip and set out on her remarkable career as a commerce destroyer.  
**1897**—John A. McDougal, famous artist and friend of Poe, Willis and Irving, died; born 1807.

## ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 7:14, rises 4:50; moon sets 2:13 a. m.

## Charity at Home.

Never was the old adage, "Charity should begin at home," more strikingly demonstrated than in the case to which attention is called in the news columns of this issue. Both aid and nursing are urgently needed, and whatever is done, should be done at once.

All that can be done in this case is to make the dying hours of a human being as easy as possible, so as to give those charged with his keeping an opportunity to bestow the last ministrations of love and duty which the great bond of human kinship instills into every human heart. Adversity and privation are pitiful enough in life, but in the shadow of death a deeper chord of humanity is reached. Many of the fraternal orders have responded to appeals of this nature, and their immediate help in this instance will facilitate the needed aid without the delay incident to individual donations.

## Another Big Stick.

President Taft has demonstrated that he can wield the "big stick" as well as his predecessor. During the campaign the President, then a candidate, announced that if elected he would call a special session of Congress for the purpose of revising the tariff downward, a principal to which the Republican party was committed in its platform.

The session was called in accordance with the pledge, and after the Senate and House have had their say and prepared a bill, which was the various compromises of both bodies, the President is now having his say. This is to the effect that the bill, to meet Executive approval, must have several more degrees of a downward inclination. The solons are somewhat sore because President Taft did not "butt in" at the start and let them know just what he would stand for. While he is not quite so strenuous as his predecessor in wielding the "big stick," he is just as firm, and the probabilities are that the Democratic party will not derive much campaign thunder from broken Republican pledges concerning tariff revision.

## An Inexorable Law.

The communication from the secretary and treasurer of the Fallowfield township milkmen's association, which appears in this issue, effectively dispels the reports that the high price

of milk is due to the sanitary regulation imposed by the "milk ordinance" recently passed by the borough council. When milkmen have to pay \$32.50 a ton for bran that formerly cost \$16, and \$60 and \$70 for the purchase of a milk cow that could formerly be bought for \$40, the price of milk under these conditions cannot very well be reduced.

From reliable statistics it is learned that consumers of farm products in the United States are increasing several millions each year, but the production of farm products, while also increasing, is not keeping pace with the number of consumers. Harriman, the great railroad magnate, says that the price of meat is high, and is going to be higher, because enough cattle are not being raised to make even a sluggish market in the price of live stock. Garden truck is high in Charleroi because few people have gardens, and there is a ready market for all that is offered for sale. The

this inexorable law of supply and demand, and it will go still higher, just as will the price of all other food-commodities until more of the idle land lying everywhere fallow is brought under cultivation.

## Electric Sparks

Suppose everybody had a good time yesterday. At least all we saw had happier looking countenances than they have this morning.

What's this? Willie J. Bryan in a speech at Bellefontaine, Ohio, declares he is not going to try for the Presidency again? Ah! now you quit! You don't think we believe you mean that, do you?

Strange to say they did not quit debating over the tariff, when the Charleroi merchants had their holiday.

The way that New York woman tells things about Harry Thaw is "sunthin' fierce." The only question to be decided is whether she or the disreputable Harry should be confined in the asylum.

Atlantic City is a warm old town nowadays. Anyhow, a considerable number of people go there.

New York department heads go to Paris, and then write articles for the New York papers stating what a wicked place the French metropolis is, probably with the idea that people will get to thinking that New York is not such a bad place after all.

## Had Forty Homes.

Villon, the painter, was a unique personage even among the odd characters of Paris. While he was essentially a bohemian, there were times when even his patience was taxed to the utmost, and to obviate the necessity of meeting unwelcome people he conceived the idea of multiplying his lodging places. At the time of his death he owned no less than forty homes, all in apartment houses, situated in all the out of the way corners of Paris, plainly furnished and with just enough accommodation for himself. He changed from one to the other all the time in order to escape importunate acquaintances and to take refuge from his friends. It was in order to throw them all off the scent that he engaged rooms all over the city. He finally died in the Rue de Dunkerque, where he had as many as three different apartments, all within a stone's throw of one another.

## The Stone Houses of Easter Island.

The remarkable stone houses of Easter Island are built against a far race of earth or rock, which in some cases forms the back wall of the dwelling. They are built of small slabs of stratified basaltic rock piled to gether without cement. No regularity of plan is shown in the construction of a majority of them. The average measurement is as follows: Height from floor to ceiling, 4 feet 6 inches; thickness of walls, 4 feet to 10 inches; width of rooms, 4 feet 6 inches; length of rooms, 12 feet 0 inches; average size of doorways—height, 20 inches; width, 19 inches.

## Skeptical.

"I kind of agree with the folks who say that story about George Washington and the cherry tree is a myth," said Farmer Cornstossel after a thoughtful silence.

"For what reason?" inquired his wife.  
"Well, human nature is purty much the same in all generations, and if I had a boy who picked up an ax and voluntarily went out to chop wood I wouldn't chide him. I'd hand him a medal."—Washington Star.

## Practical.

"I send you 10,000 kisses," he wrote. "Bab!" she exclaimed, "tossing" his letter aside. "Why doesn't he come and look over his terminal facilities in person?"—Chicago Record-Herald.

Lucky.  
Little Walter was whispering into the ear of his dog.  
"What are you saying to Rover, dear?" asked his mother.  
"Oh, I was just telling him how lucky he was," replied Walter. "Cause he didn't have to have his neck washed and his hair combed or go to school."—Chicago News.

A Mystery to Father.  
"So your daughter has gone to Europe, after all?"  
"Yass," drawled Farmer Hayseed; "she's been daffy 't go ever since she left skule. These here female girl colleges dew put ideas intew women's heads. Her maw an' me never could calculate why she was so set 't go 't Yurrupe. She don't know a soul thar."—Lippincott's.

Only a Man.  
Mrs. Peck (contemptuously)—What are you, anyhow, a man or a mouse?  
Mr. Peck (bitterly)—A man, Mr. dear. If I were only a mouse I'd have you up on the table yelling for dear life right now!—New York Life.

## Sale in Partition.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, by virtue of an order of the Orphans Court of Westmoreland County, Pa., made on the 10th day of June, 1908, the undersigned will expose at public sale on the premises with leave to adjourn from day to day the following described property: 1st. On Thursday, August 13, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m. All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in Carroll Town, Washington County, Pa., being Lot No. 12 (12) in James A. Baker's Plan of Eldora duly recorded in said County in Plan Book Vol. 3, pages 91 and 95 bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning on the North side of Monongahela River at the dividing line common to lots No. 3 and 7 in said plan, thence northwesterly along said dividing line 300 feet to Ringold Ave.; thence easterly along said Ringold Ave. 100 feet to the line of a twenty foot alley; thence south easterly along the line of said alley 300 feet to Monongahela Ave. (thence) Westwardly along said Monongahela Ave. 250 feet to line of Lot No. 7 in said plan the place of beginning. Excepting and reserving therefrom and thereon such coal and rights as are excepted and reserved in and under the above described lot of ground, but no well shall be sunk on the same for either also excepting and reserving the right of the Philadelphia Company and the Greensboro Natural Gas Company, the same being known as "Purpart" "E" in said partition proceedings.

2nd. On Thursday August 13, 1908, at 1 o'clock P. M. All that certain parcel of land lying in the Borough of Donora, Washington County, Pa., being Lot No. 12 (12) in Block No. 5 (5) lying between Fifth and Sixth Streets, fronting on Meldon Ave. 2 feet and running back 100 feet; the same being known as "Purpart" "E" in said partition proceedings.

Terms of Sale: Ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid when the property is knocked down; the balance of one third at the confirmation of sale; one third in one year from the day of confirmation of sale with interest, said deferred payment to be secured by deed bond and mortgage with 20 day sale clause and remaining one third to be paid and remain a lien upon the premises to secure the widow's dower as required by law.

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## SATISFACTORY TARIFF SYSTEM

### Senator Penrose Makes Prediction Concerning Final Outcome of Special Session

#### PENROSE ALWAYS ON GUARD

Close of Arduous Session Will See Senior Senator Off in Search of Recreation in Western Wilds—Tariff Teachings That Should Not Be Lost Sight of.

Advices from Washington are to the effect that Senator Boies Penrose predicts that the new tariff law when finally framed, adopted by both branches of Congress and signed by the President, will provide the most satisfactory tariff system ever established in this country. Senator Penrose is in a position to know what he is talking about. As a member of the Senate Finance Committee and a conferee, he has been able to prevent the adoption of severe reductions in the iron and steel, chemical and other schedules with which Pennsylvania's tremendous industrial interests are concerned. That his great work in this direction is appreciated, is amply shown by the strong statements of commendation that have been received by him from members of the Pennsylvania delegation in Congress and from representatives of labor and capital in the Keystone State.

Owing to the complexity of Pennsylvania's industries the revision of the tariff schedules brought an immense volume of work to members of the Pennsylvania delegation. As Senator Penrose recently remarked, there is hardly a page of the Payne bill that does not contain a rate in which this Commonwealth is directly interested. The Pennsylvania Congressmen have been in receipt of thousands of letters, briefs and other communications on both sides of the tariff question. The duties of Senator Penrose were peculiarly exacting. As a member of the Finance Committee the appeals for assistance that reached him came not only from Pennsylvania but from the representatives of every industry in the United States.

In a large room adjoining Senator Penrose's office are long rows of cases where cotton, classified and indexed, the communications to be received relative to the revision of the tariff rates. The mails brought him valuable communications of facts relative to the industrial interests of this State. Mr. Penrose received the tariff argument of every manufacturer in the Keystone State with a detailed statement of the duty desired. Letters from Pennsylvania farmers urging him to vote for the reduction of the Dingley duty of 10 per cent ad valorem on hides were filed with the printed briefs of the tanners and shoe and leather manufacturers presenting arguments in support of their demand for free hides. Every scrap of paper bearing upon the tariff bill was filed. The arguments thus presented were briefed and submitted to the Finance Committee and in some instances to the Senate in which body consideration of the measure required the almost constant attendance of Senators Penrose and Oliver as hardly a day passed during the time the bill was being discussed in the Upper House that a schedule affecting a Pennsylvania industry was not taken up.

As the situation now presents itself, petroleum, hides and iron ore are likely to be found on the free list, while coal will be protected by a duty of 40 cents a ton and lumber by \$1.25 per thousand. This figure being a quarter lower than the rate fixed by the Senate and a quarter higher than the House rate.

At the dinner given by President Taft to the Republican members of the Conference Committee and some of his Cabinet advisers, Chairman Seno E. Payne, of the Ways and Means Committee, advanced the claim that Pennsylvania's interests were being too well protected, but Senator Penrose showed the President conclusively that the State was not being given a tithe more protection than was needed to preserve its industries. For a time at that dinner this State's industries became the pivot of all the discussion and the defense put up by Senator Penrose and Representative John Dalzell was a warm one. The result appears to be that Pennsylvania came out practically unscathed.

Despite the vital interest of Pennsylvania in tariff legislation Senator Penrose is the only senator from the Keystone State within this generation who has served as a member of a Conference Committee in charge of a tariff bill. When the McKinley bill was enacted this Commonwealth was represented in the Senate by J. Donald Cameron and Matthew Stanley Quay, neither of whom was a member of the Finance Committee, and who, therefore, were not in line for appointment as conferees. Quay and Penrose were the Pennsylvania senators.

Dingley bill and both had other committee appointments. Owing to his familiarity with tariff legislation and the industrial conditions in this State, Senator Penrose during his second term was appointed a member of the Finance Committee and now ranks third as a member of that body, only

Chairman Aldrich and Senator Barrows, of Michigan, preceding him. His selection as a conferee was due to his effective work in the preparation of the bill and to forcible advocacy of its provisions upon the floor of the Senate.

Senator Penrose upon the adjournment of Congress will go to Philadelphia for a few days before starting for Montana. He will be accompanied by his brother, Dr. Charles Penrose, and they will spend probably six weeks in the Lewis and Clark forest reserve and the Flatbush river country in Northern Montana. They will go after bear, deer and other big game, and fish for trout. Senator Penrose declares that despite the intense heat prevailing in Washington this season, and the strain of the special session of Congress, he is in excellent health. All that he required, he added, was a vacation in the mountains to make him feel as good as ever. Senator Oliver will go to his summer home in Cobourg, Canada, upon the adjournment of Congress and he expects to remain there until late in September.

The Altoona Gazette quite wisely remarks that in these days when almost every publication one picks up contains a dig at the protective tariff, either at the principle or at the details, it is well for us to recall and remember a few things we all know. No intelligent person will contend that Americans can pay the prevailing rate of labor now paid in this country and manufacture goods if the tariff is lowered a point where cheap foreign products can be unloaded here. The tariff was wisely created fifty years ago or more to build up the greatest manufacturing fabric in the world. The advantages offered by that policy have brought millions of foreigners here because wages and conditions were vastly better. The tariff alone made them so. Would foreigners come here if conditions were no better than they are in Europe?

Continuing, the Gazette says: "No manufacturer of goods in this country could live and pay the high wages he pays if there was no barrier against the foreign manufacturer paying one-third or one-half the rate of wages paid in this country and shipping his product here. He could understand the home manufacturer drive him out of the business or force him to reduce the wages of his help to the condition of the cheap labor he would have to compete with. These facts are so plain that a school boy can understand them."

And here is where the western farmers who profess to represent the farmers have made their mistake. Ninety odd per cent of all that the farmer produces is bought and consumed in this country. The free entry of European and tropical goods made with cheap labor would force home manufacturers to cut wages 50 per cent, reduce the value of the wages earned by the farmer and reduce the value of the goods he would be able to buy. The farmer has to sell? It does not require the expert knowledge of any student of a United States Senate to figure this out. The policy that has built up the greatest manufacturing industry in the world, that pays the highest wages, that has made the American wage worker and the farmer the most prosperous in all the world, is a good policy to tie to."

## ANCIENT GUNS.

Remarkable Weapons That Were Used by the Turks and Chinese.

At the siege of Rhodes the Turks constructed mortars by hollowing out cavities in the solid rock at the proper angle, and in the arsenal at Malta is a trophy of the long and glorious defense of Valletta in a Turkish gun, about a six pounder, composed of a copper tube coiled over with strong rope and "jacked" with rawhide, in the same collection are some antique "quick dress" breechloaders, with small bores and immensely long barrels, like punt guns. The Malay pirates put great trust in the long brass swivel guns called "lela," and in Borneo these lelas were used as a kind of currency, large sums being estimated in guns.

The Chinese cast excellent bronze guns (there is a fine specimen of them in Devonport dockyard), but so little did they understand gunnery that in the so called "Opium war" the forts of the Roca Tigris, defending the Canton river, had the guns built immovably into the walls. The Sikh gunners opposed to England in the two Punjab wars, though they loaded with amazing recklessness, shoveling in the powder from open boxes, stuck to their guns to the last. The blood of the first man killed was smeared on the gun, and the whole detachment died beside it sooner than retreat.—Chambers Journal.

## The Amazon River.

Although not the largest or longest river, the Amazon is the most wonderful river in the world, with a mouth 150 miles in width and with a force of water that repels or at least overflows the ocean to a distance of more than 40 leagues. Yet in spite of the weight of the river the tide makes its influence felt for 500 miles from the coast. The easterly trade winds blow almost invariably upward, so as to be ready to help the vessel against the adverse current.

## In Disguise.

"Do you mean to say that you flirted with your wife all the evening at the masked ball, and didn't know her?" "That's right. But she was so disguised, agreeable how was I to know her?"—Exchange.

## WOES OF THE PURSER

He Has Troubles of His Own on the Trip Across the Atlantic.

### MUST HAVE A GOOD TEMPER.

His Time Wasted by Foolish Questions and Trivial Appeals, Mainly by Women Passengers, Yet He Has to Be Always Polite and Agreeable.

"Yes," said the purser on one of the big liners recently to the writer, who happened to be taking a trip from Liverpool to New York, "we have our own troubles. I can assure you, and I sometimes envy the captain his solitary enjoyment of the bridge, even during a sixty mile gale. Passengers seem to think that the purser is put on a ship simply to answer foolish questions."

"Of course there is a good deal which we have to put up with as being part of our legitimate duties, though when a passenger brings us a hundred dollar yellow back and asks to have it changed into English, French,

Italian or German, it is a little annoying. It is well for us to recall and remember a few things we all know. No intelligent person will contend that Americans can pay the prevailing rate of labor now paid in this country and manufacture goods if the tariff is lowered a point where cheap foreign products can be unloaded here."

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"Most passengers when we have been a day or so out bring the purser all their valuables, for which they receive a receipt. Some persons women seem to think that a 'strong room' at sea is not a very secure place for their jewels, and they insist on seeing their treasures at least every day. One woman passenger made my life a burden during a recent voyage by taking her valuables out and putting them in again three times a day until I told her that the next time she called for them I would not take them back again, whereat she told me, with a sour look, that I was impertinent and she would inform the captain. I believe she did so, but the captain gave her a word or two of advice regarding the implicit trust which should be placed in a purser, and this quieted her. In fact, she afterward came to me and apologized for her seeming rudeness."

"As a rule, I conduct church service on board, as the captain does not enjoy the work, but prefers to remain on the bridge. Many a funeral service also has fallen to my lot, and I have even officiated at a christening. I am usually the one to whom a passenger lists when he is dissatisfied with his cabin, though the duty of changing a stateroom really rests with the head steward. Then, again, it is the purser who is appealed to when the passengers elect to hold a concert, and the young folks usually rush to him also when they want to have a dance on deck. A purser can be very popular or the reverse, and unless you have an excellent temper you stand a good chance of being the reverse."

"The funniest experience I had was on a recent trip, when there was on board a little girl about twelve years old. She struck up a warm friendship with me, and would walk the deck for miles if I would only accompany her. She fell very ill during a storm and refused to be comforted. Her mother asked her if there was anything she could do which would ease her suffering, and she said: 'Please take me to the land.' I complied with her request and read to the child for a little while each day until she was well enough to come on deck again."—London Tit-Bits.

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Veal Roast.....	From 2 lbs for 25c to 15c
Veal Chops.....	15c lb
Veal Cutlets.....	20c lb
Veal Stew.....	10c to 12c lb
Leg Lamb Roast.....	15c lb
Lamb Chops.....	15c lb
Lamb Stew.....	From 10c to 12c lb

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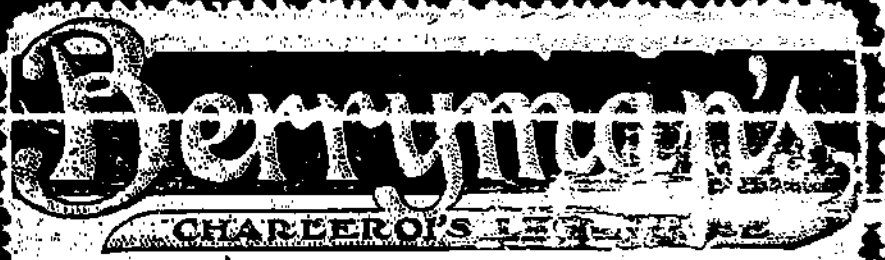
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### Charlertoi Firm Makes Purchase

The \$5,000 stock of Mrs. Kent of Donora which was sold by the court, and for which the Charlertoi Savings and Trust and company was appointed assignee, has been purchased by the Bazaar, 431 McKean avenue, and the stock is to be sold at slaughter prices. Mr. Krakover, proprietor of the bazaar, is determined to make a clean sweep as the regular stock carried by him is so large that he needs the room. In Friday's paper will be a descriptive of the bargains that one may be able to secure by attending this sale. 2961t

The Monongahela Railroad company, having lines extending from Browns-ville on the east side of the Monongahela river, several miles south, has been made defendant in a damage suit for \$200,000 in the Fayette county courts.

The plaintiff is James B. Thompson, of Luzerne township, who claims that the right of way for which he was awarded damages to the amount of \$1,300 was worth more. The suit is the largest ever brought in Fayette county.

## Classified Ads

### WANTED

WANTED—Middle-aged woman to do home cooking. Capitol Lunch Room, Donora. 285tf

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LOST—Ten one dollar bills between postoffice and Berryman's store. Finder please bring same to Berryman's and will be rewarded.

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FOR RENT—Five room flat with bath. See Hall or Whitlatch, Fourth and Fallowfield. 288tf

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## LOCAL NOTES

### Brief Mention of People and Events in this Community.

Rev. T. A. Connors has been assigned assistant to Rev. Father W. D. Fries, pastor of St. Jerome's church. Rev. Connors arrived this week to take up his duties here.

Daile Jolliffe left today for Atlantic City to spend several days.

William Ezeix was a visitor this morning in Pittsburg.

Mrs. Edmund Brown left yesterday for Chautauqua, where she will spend some weeks.

Frank Arrison and sister, Miss Emily Arrison, have returned from Atlantic City where they spent several days.

Miss Mary Fries and sister of Kittanning, are visitors in Charlertoi with friends.

Mrs. W. H. Calvert and daughter, Jean left this morning for Atlantic City for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Welton and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. G. Wetner have returned from Atlantic City, where they spent two weeks.

The Monessen General Hospital at Lockview is being equipped with screen doors and windows. It is stated that the improvement will cost about \$200 when completed.

Leo. Schwaed and son are transacting business in Haristown.

Mrs. J. Mountcourt and son Martin are in Pittsburg today.

A. F. Sievertson and orchestra played at the Coyle Theatre Monday evening. The music was of a good selection and pleased the audience and company.

Miss Ruth Sassara of Pittsburg is visiting at the home of Mrs. Ruth Sievertson of Washington avenue.

### Picture Thursday

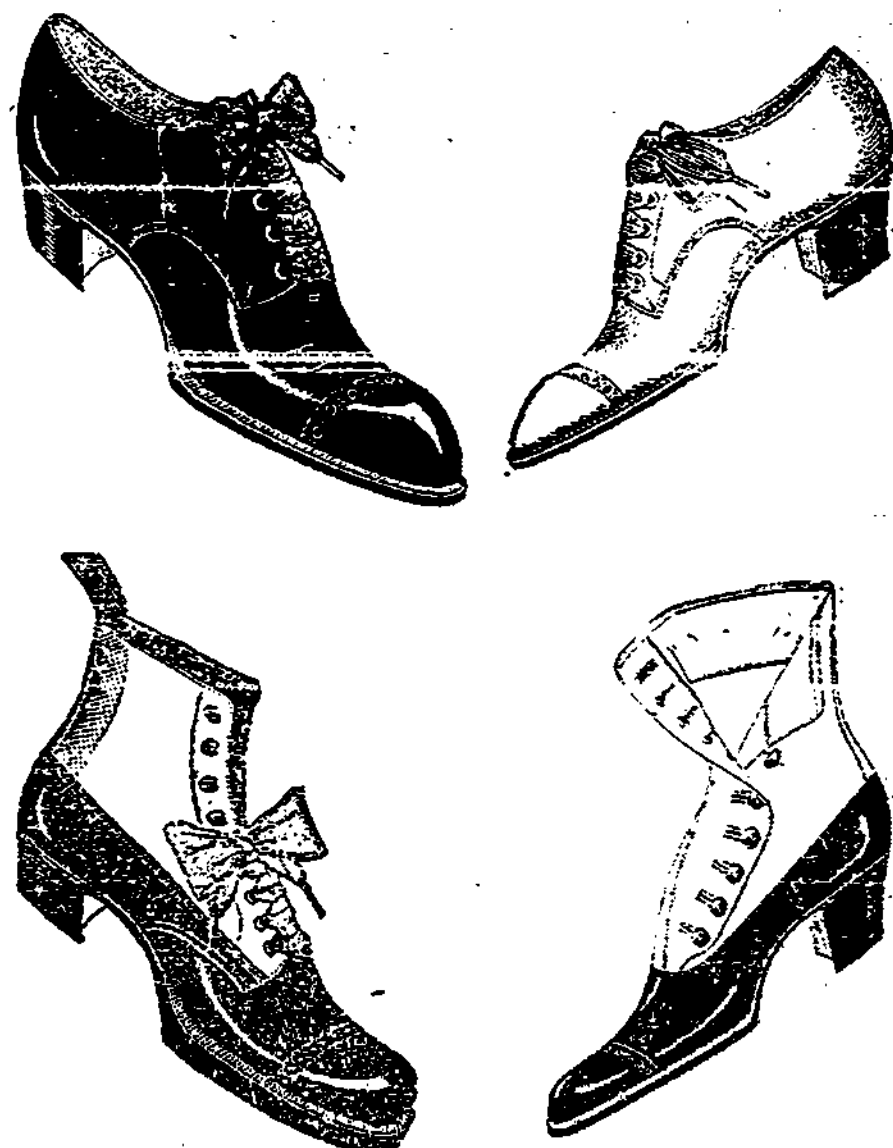
The "Passion Play" will be shown by picture at the Star Theatre on Thursday, it having been secured for this additional evening by the management.

### Funeral of Henry Smith

The funeral of Henry Smith, who died on Tuesday at Cleveland, Ohio, was held this morning at the A. M. E. church. Interment was at Howes cemetery.

## DON'T FORGET

About the Big  
\$1.00 SHOE SALE  
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